Re: Compliance Review Requested

Name of Motor Carrier

mons Transportation Inc.

Action Taken:

Referred for a Compliance Review

Date: 10/3/08

Investigator:

Compliance Review Findings:

Satisfactory

Unsatisfactory

LICH. TERRY WHANKS Compliance Review Officers

RECEIVED

OCT 0 8 2008

PSC SC DOCKETING DEPT

South Carolina State Transport Police US DOT# Legal: MOTTS TRANSPORTATION INC 828452 Operating (DBA): Federal Tax ID: 58-2457928 (EIN) MC/MX #: 364825 Review Type: Compliance Review (CR) Territory: Scope: Principal Office Location of Review/Audit: Company facility in the U.S. Operation Types Interstate Intrastate Non-HM Business: Corporation Non-HM Carrier: for year ending: 12/31/2007 N/A Gross Revenue: \$0.00 Shipper: N/A Cargo Tank: N/A Company Physical Address: 1131 OLD CHURCH ROAD CORDESVILLE, SC 29434 **Contact Name:** Jerome Carter Sr. Phone numbers: (1) 843-336-4125 Fax 843-336-3654 (2) E-Mail Address: ladygcarter@aol.com Company Mailing Address: 1131 OLD CHURCH ROAD CORDESVILLE, SC 29434 Carrier Classification Authorized for Hire

Cargo Classification

**Passengers** 

Does carrier transport placardable quantities of HM? No N/A

Is an HM Permit required?

**Driver Information** 

Inter Intra Average trip leased drivers/month: 0

< 100 Miles:

>= 100 Miles: 1 CDL Drivers: 1

Equipment

Owned Term Leased Trip Leased Owned Term Leased Trip Leased

Total Drivers: 1

Motor Coach Power units used in the U.S.: 1

Percentage of time used in the U.S.: 100



U.S. DOT#: 828452

Review Date: 10/02/2008

### Part A

QUESTIONS regarding this report or the Federal Motor Carrier Safety or Hazardous Materials rules may be addressed to the Office of Motor Carriers at:

South Carolina State Transport Police, Motor Carrier Compliance Unit 10322 Wilson Blvd., Building D-2, PO Box 1993 Blythewood, SC 29016

This report will be used to assess your safety compliance.

Person(s) Interviewed

Name: Jerome Carter Sr.

Title: President

Title:

Name:



U.S. DOT #: 828452

Review Date: 10/02/2008

# **Part B Violations**

1 FEDERAL	Primary: 40.25(b) Secondary: 382.105	Discovered	Checked 1	Drivers/Vehicles In Violation Checker 1 1
application or t		mployers of driver applican	it for the two y	rears prior to the date of
<u></u>	e Carter Sr Trip Date - 9/01/2008.			
2 FEDERAL	Primary: 382.601(a)	Discovered	Checked 1	Drivers/Vehicles In Violation Checke
Example	de educational materials explaining requireme e Carter - Trip Date - 9/01/2008.	ents of part 382 and employ	er's policies.	
3 FEDERAL	Primary: 383.35(b)	Discovered 1	Checked 1	Drivers/Vehicles In Violation Checke 1 1
Example	est employment history information for the 10 to earter - Trip Date - 9/01/2008.	years preceding the date of	the application	on for employment.
4 FEDERAL	Primary: 391.21(a)	Discovered	Checked 1	Drivers/Vehicles In Violation Checke 1 1
Example	who has not completed and furnished an emp e Carter Sr Trip Date - 9/01/2008.	loyment application.		
5 FEDERAL	Primary: 396.3(b)(1)	Discovered 1	Checked	Drivers/Vehicles In Violation Checke 1 1
Example	a maintenance record which identifies the vel	hicle, including make, seria	l number, yea	r, and tire size.
License Number - BC 5749  Safety Fitness Rating Information:  Total Miles Operated 500 Number of Vehicle Inspected (CR): 1  Recordable Accidents 0 OOS Vehicle (MCMIS): 0  Recordable Accidents/Million Miles 0.00 Number of Vehicles Inspected (MCMIS): 0			ed (CR): 1 MCMIS): 0	



U.S. DOT #: 828452

Review Date: 10/02/2008

# **Part B Violations**

our proposed safety rating is :	Rating Factors		Acute Critical		
our proposition raining to t	Factor 1:	S	0	0	
	Factor 2:	S	0	0	
SATISFACTORY	Factor 3:	S	0	0	
OATIOLACTORT	Factor 4:	S	0	0	
	Factor 5:	N	0	0	
	Factor 6:	S	_	-	

Corrective actions must be taken for any violations (deficiencies) identified on Part B of this report.





U.S. DOT #: 828452

Review Date: 10/02/2008

## Part B Requirements and/or Recommendations

- 1. Copies of the regulations, forms, interpretations, and manuals are available from a variety of sources. Check the FMCSA website for a current list of suppliers, www.fmcsa.dot.gov/safety-security/eta/index.htm
- 2. Conduct periodic internal reviews of your driver qualification, hours of service control, maintenance, accident analysis/reporting, training, and other safety systems to ensure continued compliance with the FMCSR.
- 3. Obtain a copy of each driver's driving record and review it annually.
- 4. Review the circumstances under which a CDL is required. CDL and drug testing rules apply to both interstate and intrastate commerce.
- 5. Ensure that all drivers are fully and properly qualified before operating in interstate commerce. Maintain a complete file as required for each driver, documenting the qualification process.
- 6. Maintain all required controlled substance testing records including yearly summaries, quarterly summaries, test information, test results, records of training etc., as required by 49 CFR Parts 40 and 382 of the FMCSR.
- 7. Require all drivers to prepare complete and accurate records of duty status for each day, and to submit them within 13 days. Maintain all duty status records on file, with all supporting documents, for at least 6 months.
- 8. Establish a systematic maintenance records program for all vehicles. Maintain a complete file for each subject vehicle, recording all repair, maintenance and inspection operations performed.
- 9. This report contains citations of regulations that are deemed serious in nature and could result in penalties against your company and/or your drivers.
- 10. A complete Educational and Technical Assistance package entitled "A MOTOR CARRIER'S GUIDE TO IMPROVING HIGHWAY SAFETY" is available free on the FMCSA website to assist you in complying with the safety regulations. It contains many forms and documents useful for Improving the safety of your operations. Check: www.fmcsa.dot.gov/factsfigs/eta/index.html.
- 11. For questions about DOT numbers or biennial updates: 800-832-5660 or 703-280-4001 For questions about licensing, authority or MC numbers: 202-366-9805 For questions about insurance: 202-385-2423

For household goods complaints: 888-DOT-SAFT (888-368-7238)

12. All motor carriers and truck drivers are needed to fight against terrorism and hijacking. You could be a target. Protect yourself, your trucks, your cargo, and your facilities.

Discuss with your employees/drivers the "Security Measures for Truck Drivers and Companies" which were provided and reviewed with motor carrier official.

13. NOTICE: On March 30, 2004, FMCSA published a final rule requiring employers to review a candidate's safety performance history data within 30 days of hiring a new driver. The final rule enables prospective employers to obtain and use more complete driver safety performance history during the hiring process. Prospective employers will be required to, at a minimum, investigate a driver's employment information, accident record, and alcohol and controlled substances history from all employers the driver worked for within the previous 3 years.



U.S. DOT #: 828452

Review Date: 10/02/2008

# Part B Requirements and/or Recommendations

All previous employers are required to respond to the investigating employer within 30 days of receiving the investigation request.

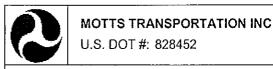
Even though the final rule is effective April 29, 2004, motor carriers are not required to comply with the new rule until October 29, 2004. This 6-month period will allow motor carriers ample time to develop procedures and systems to implement this rule.

For more information on these regulations, please access the FMCSA Web site at www.fmcsa.dot.gov <a href="http://www.fmcsa.dot.gov">http://www.fmcsa.dot.gov</a>>.



South Carolina State Transport Police US DOT# Legal: MOTTS TRANSPORTATION INC 828452 Operating (DBA): Federal Tax ID: 58-2457928 (EIN) MC/MX #: 364825 Review Type: Compliance Review (CR) - Receipt Location of Review/Audit: Company facility in the U.S. Territory: Principal Office Scope: The light Training that had been as a first training to the contract to the co ு நார்க்கு முதுக்கு இது நகுந்தியில் Gross Revenue: 50 00 for year ending: 12/31/20년 ( Shupper "armir Tairin h. = Company Physical Address: 1101 OLD CHURCH ROAD CORDESVILLE, SC 29434 Contact Name: Jerome Carter Sr. Phone numbers: (1) 843-336-4125 Fax 843-336-3654 (2)E-Mail Address: ladvgcarter@aol.com ារូបកម្ម អ៊ែមតែឡេ កំពុចខេនម Some Constant District garana ay ng mga lawa la такон бананату West Pages f:-... 2 होतारी सार प्रतिसंख्या त्या 2 Part B - Violations Part B - Recommendations 2 Review/Audit Receipt Page 7 **Total Pages** Disclaimer: By signing below, I acknowledge that I have received a copy of this review/audit and agree with the Assessment the companies open not regally agreement with the

<u>.</u>	outh Sarontin Grad Transport is outh valued byd. Building Bile. Nytronood, 50 20010	COUNTROL CONTROL CONTR	Harriston of	
		be used to assess yo		
, · <del>* ·</del>	25		A ASSESS OF THE CANADA AND AND ADDRESS.	
			<del></del>	
	Till Homes	····· 5/I		PARKET INTIL TREAT THE HANG
(	Theme 12 d		That	
1			7	
•	•			



TION INC Review Date: 10/02/2008

# Safety Fitness Rating Explanation

This report lists the facts which were used to determine the Safety Fitness Rating for the above motor carrier. Federal and State violations are combined for rating purposes. However, only the federal or federal equivalent section number is shown below. A check mark identifies the range within which the data fell when determining the Safety Fitness Rating. All information within a FACTOR block relates only to that FACTOR.

FACTOR 1	General (CFR Parts 387, 390)	√ 0 Point = Satisfactory			
VIOLATIONS AFFECTING RATING  NONE  1 Point = Conditional Point = Unsatisfact					
NONE	TOTAL POINTS: 0 = SATISFA	ACTORY			
FACTOR 2	Driver Qualification (CFR Parts 382, 3	383, 391)    √ 0  Point = Satisfactory  1  Point = Conditional			
VIOLATIONS AFFECTING RATING POINTS 1 Point = Conditional >1 Point = Unsatisfactory NONE					
	TOTAL POINTS: 0 = SATISF	ACTORY			
FACTOR 3 VIOLATIONS AFFECTIN	Operational/Driving (CFR Parts 39: IG RATING POINTS	2, 395)   √ 0 Point = Satisfactory  1 Point = Conditional  >1 Point = Unsatisfactory			
NONE	TOTAL POINTS: 0 = SATISF	ACTORY			
FACTOR 4	/ehicle/Maintenance (CFR Parts 393, 396, Per	rformance Data (OOS%))			
VIOLATIONS AFFECTIN NONE	***************************************	er than 3 inspections			
<u></u>	TOTAL POINTS: 0 =	SATISFACTORY			
Fewer than 3 Inspections		nspections			
Rate same as other Regulatory	OOS Less than 34%	OOS 34% or Higher			
Factors 1, 2, and 3	Satisfactory	Conditional			
√ 0 Point = Satisfactory 1 Point = Conditional >1 Point = Unsatisfactory	Conditional If a pattern of Non-Compliance with a Critical or an Acute Violation	Unsatisfactory If a pattern of Non-Compliance with a Critical or an Acute Violation			
	azardous Material (CFR Parts 397, 171, 172, 1 carrier of Hazardous Material	173, 177, 180)			
FACTOR 6	Accident (Recordable Accident Rat	e)			
((	Recordable Accidents) X (1 million)) ÷ (Total (0 X 1,000,000) ÷ 500 = 0 = SATISFACTOF	•			
	ACCIDENT RATE FACTOR RATE  √ 0.000 - 1.500 = Satisfactory  >1.500 = Unsatisfactor				
•	6) shown above as less than satisfactory				
Unsatisfactory 0	Conditional 0 = S/	ATISFACTORY			



U.S. DOT#: 828452

Review Date: 10/02/2008

# Safety Fitness Rating Explanation

### FORMULA TO CALCULATE THE OVERALL SAFETY FITNESS RATING

Number of Factors

Unsatisfactory	Conditional	OVERALL RATING
√ 0	2 or fewer	Satisfactory
0	3 or more	Conditional
1	2 or fewer	Conditional
1	3 or more	Unsatisfactory
2	0 or more	Unsatisfactory





U.S. DOT #: 828452

Review Date: 10/02/2008

### Part C

Reason for Review: Company Request
Planned Action: Compliance Monitoring

Safestat Category: H

Parts Reviewed Certification:

325 382 383 387 390 391 392 393 395 396 397 398 399 171 172 173 177 178 180

 $\checkmark$   $\checkmark$   $\checkmark$   $\checkmark$   $\checkmark$ 

Prior Reviews

**Prior Prosecutions** 

7/5/2000 5/25/2000 7/31/2000

### **Unsat/Unfit Information**

Is the motor carrier of passengers subject to the safety fitness procedures contained in 49 CFR part 385 subpart A, AND does it transport passengers in a commercial motor vehicle?

Yes - Interstate and Intrastate

45-Day - Interstate Passenger

Does carrier transport placardable quantities of hazardous materials? Unsat/Unfit rule:

Corporate Contact: Jerome Carter Sr.

Corporate Contact Title: President

Special Study Information:

#### Remarks:

This investigation was initiated because the carrier had applied to the South Carolina Public Service Commission for a Class C Charter Bus Certificate. This certificate requires that the carrier be in compliance with the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Regulations as adopted by South Carolina. Carrier was an authorized carrier previously, but had been out of business for several years.

During the investigation it was determined that the carrier was also a interstate for hire carrier of passengers. This was the third compliance review in 8 years. Motts Transportation Inc. has one 57 passenger motorcoach and one cdl driver at this time, that being Jerome Carter Sr., President. Mr. Carter is the only driver hired within the last 12 months. All records are kept at Mr. Carter's residence and were provided within 48 hours. Carrier has not made any for hire trips at this time and has \$0 dollars income. Carrier has made several trips for maintenance purposes.

In Part 40, carrier failed to have 2 year drug and alcohol history from previous employers.

In Part 382, carrier did not have a company policy on drug and alcohol testing. Carrier is in a consortium with AOH in Charleston, SC.

In Part 383, carrier failed to request 10 year employment history. All cdl records were checked by CDLIS.

In Part 387, carrier had \$5,000,000 of insurance. A copy of MCS-90B was obtained.

In Part 390, carrier did not have name and Dot number on both sides of bus. This violation was cited on Level 5 inspection done during the review.

In Part 391, Application was incomplete.

In Part 392, no violations were found.

In Part 393, no inspections were listed on profile and one Level 5 inspection was performed with 0 OOS.

In Part 395, a total of 30 days were checked, with 0 violations.

In Part 396, had a maintenance file, but did not identify vehicle.





U.S. DOT#: 828452

Review Date: 10/02/2008

### Part C

Mr. Carter was very cooperative and stated he would correct all violations immediately. Mr. Carter was given several websites to obtain information.

Upload Authorized: Yes No

Authorized by: Date:

Uploaded: Yes No Failure Code:

Verified by: Date:

US Diperiores ATransportation Automobile d'Estre Saine de la récepte

#### ENDORSEMENT FOR

Form Approved OMB No 2126-0008

. . . . . .

### MOTOR CARRIER POLICIES OF INSURANCE FOR PUBLIC LIABILITY UNDER SECTION 18 OF THE BUS REGULATORY REFORM ACT OF 1982

mace to milita thanspuritatifist the			an CORRESPILITA	<u>K,</u>		
Date of LONG REACH	this	12TH	digot ADGUST	. 20 08		
Amesome Peliev No. R4162249#1		• • • • · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Effective Date 98/08/20	108		
Same of houseasse Company LANCER INSUR	ANCE COMPA	NY				
	Countersigned by		May of the	_		
	,		The state of the s	Authoraed Company Represe that ce		
The periors of this sale inconsument is a unital provides g	oof stong or ecount to be	i meza, ar mdf	ented by ( ) so the Linin the	\$4.7% (		
$\overline{\mathbb{M}}$ . This instance is paining and the company shall not be	lidos for amounts b	പക്ഷത് ടീ	£,900,006	ha wel an ibut		
This insurance is access and the company that not be more lying from of \$		979 ttoxo.		for early septident in movement the		
Verify a required to the restrict Marie Conference of the company also regers to an telephone required telephone number to call its (\$16), 431-444.	प्रत्य दिएका कामील ग्रेटर्स	reporte utativo	oral agreement A. Got du Porc Princ PMOSA, in vosignitatible p	MA a septiment of sold policy and all fa- voling is an flatterns of a perfectlar data. The		
Canceration of this magazinest may be careeted by the company or the incured by itleing of pulley-time (3) days notice in mitting to the other pully (safe or days notice) as some as from the data the middle, we of of malting at all a carefulant modified and (3) if the incural is subject to the FIACSA's registerize requirements, by careful by utility (50) days notice as the PIACSA (safe 30 days notice to commune them the date the partie is received by the PIACSA at his office in Wishington, D.C.).						
DEFINITIONS AS USED IN THIS ENDORSEMENT						
Posto Establish which the insurer neather expected nonline				or loss of use of tangible property.		
Builty Expury means highing in the holy, such associal disease to my person irelading death exhibiting from any of there.  Public Linbillity means liability for including infers or property demage.						

The insurance policy to which this endousancer is amount provides automobile hability immends and a immended to assure a soptimise by the immend, within the Births Mattal harpin as a furnity motor carrier of passengers with Section 18 of the Bus Regulators Reform Act of 1982 and the rules and regulations of the Foliati-Motor Confer Enfoty Administration.

lam Wood

In a assistation of the premium stated in the policy to which this endorsement is attached, the insures (the company) agrees to pay, within the liness of fiability described berein, any final judgment received against the insured for public liability resulting from negligence in the operation, maintenance or use of motor vehicles subject to linear in responsibility requirements of Seation 18 of the Bus Regulatory Reform Act of 1982 regardless of whether or not each motor vehicle is specifically described in the policy and whether or not such negligence occurs on However, all terms, conditions, and limitations in the policy to which the andorstanean a attached shall causin in full force and artist as brading between the insured and the company. The Insured agrees to relimburse the company for any paintent made by the company on account of any accident claim, or suc involving a breach of the terms of the policy, and for any payment that the company would not have been obligated to make under the provisions of the policy except for the agreement contained in this and orsement.

It is further understood and agreed that, upon failure of the company to pay my than judgment recovered against the insured as provided herein, the judgment eredier may maintain an action in any court of exception forisdiction against the pampany to compel such payment.

1 0 100 e a